









## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

HOW MUCH BETTER IS IT TO GET WISDOM THAN GOLD, AND TO GET UNDERSTANDING THAN SILVER!—PROV. 16.16.

## The Editorial Mind

ARTHUR LOOKS BACK ON BIRTH  
ITS SHIP CANAL 25 YEARS AGO

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Arthur's clock turns back today to twenty-five years ago

old-timers still among us who shared in the festivities

of the ship canal in the early hours of that

morning put Port Arthur in the ship lanes of world com-

merce. It was the herald of great growth to follow. Today Port

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## Your Money AT WORK

Brief but important lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments

PAST—CASH—CREDIT

PRESENT—CASH—CREDIT

TODAY CREDIT HAS ALMOST SUPPLANTED CASH IN THE EXCHANGE OF GOODS.

The value of a dollar changes. If your savings are dollars, the value of your savings changes too.

Many folks do not appreciate that money is a commodity which fluctuates in value very much the same as other commodities.

When money is plentiful its purchasing power is low; when it is scarce its value rises. Because of this fact, saving becomes largely a matter of wise investment.

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## YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. C. C. Robinson

DEFECTIVE EYES

The Eyesight Conservation Council of America has lately made the astounding statement that 45,000,000 Americans who are workers have defective vision.

In other words, through disease conditions which have been ignored mainly during the years of childhood, a great number have defective eyes. Other conditions which prevail in adults result from eye strain in some special occupation which calls for strenuous work during long hours.

The eyes are overworked and many never try to effect a remedy. Glasses are often neglected and the eyes become the cause of severe nervous headaches, dizziness, brain fatigue, floating specks before the eyes, and at times, severe cases of bodily fatigue.

There is also the trouble of blurred eyes and redness with frequent styes. This condition is frequently caused by some cataract or diseased nasal sinuses. But if nothing is done to correct such eye troubles, they become worse and worse.

If the disease conditions which produce so many defective eyes were properly looked after, the percentage of such eyes in the industrial world (about 45 per cent) would be materially reduced.

On the other hand, the industrial conditions have become so exacting in many occupations that the real value of eyesight is often destroyed in a few years.

Have your eyes examined when any trouble occurs.

Dr. Frank Crane's Editorial

OUR THREE-HEADED GOVERNMENT

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

The senate, during the old episode, by vote of forty-seven to thirty-four, asked the president to request, immediately, the resignation of the secretary of the navy from the cabinet.

The president replied that the dismissal of a member of his cabinet was exclusively a presidential function, that he assumed the responsibility of the whole matter himself.

Senator La Follette insisted that because a cabinet member was originally appointed "by and with the consent of the senate," the senate could "re-consent."

No authority to withdraw consent is given, under our constitution, once that consent has been granted. All the senate can do is to do what it did: express an opinion and make a request to the president.

The separation of the powers which requires the law makers not to interfere with the executive, and also prevents the executive from interfering with law making, is peculiarly American.

There is no such separation in Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Turkey, Canada or the Irish Free State.

In Great Britain, for instance, if the house of commons passed a resolution, such as our senate passed, the cabinet officer would have to go or the premier (Mr. Lloyd George) himself would have to resign.

That is what Senator Thomas Johnson meant when he said, "If this were a parliamentary form of government, under existing circumstances, a minister would fall."

The only way a cabinet minister can be got rid of, if the president refuses, is to remove him by a vote of "no confidence," which is not the case here.

It is well enough to keep these points of law in mind.

The United States of America is not a pure democracy. That it is not a town meeting where matters are decided by a vote of the people or by a vote of the representatives of the people.

It is a republic. It must operate only through properly delegated officers and strictly in accordance with the terms of its constitution. This government, as a matter of fact, moves more slowly and with more deliberation than any other government.

We have plenty of opportunity for agitation, propaganda and speech making. Newspapers can agitate and law makers can create but when it comes to doing anything, that thing must be done by the regular and often the very slow processes prescribed by law.

This is not altogether a bad thing.

Sometimes we chafe under these conditions and many become impatient. But, in the long run, the sensible people of the country are quite satisfied that no radical measures can actually be brought to pass without full discussion, considerable time and certain prescribed legal methods.

This is a good time for school teachers to make plain to the coming generation our three-headed form of government.

Congress may not execute, for its business is making laws and considering what laws ought to be made and how laws are to be enforced.

The president, and the people under his immediate control, do all the executing. And the making of laws is none of his affair except that he may offer suggestions.

The supreme court may not make laws nor execute them; its business is that of an umpire; it is to say whether a law passed by congress is constitutional or whether any deed done by the president is in accordance with the law.

These three branches of government should co-operate; they may not interfere with each other.

## The Other Man

A nice lady tells us:

One of the tantalizing angles of the husband problem, which we see solved so often in movies and books is the "other man," who always stands just around the corner.

Wives are constantly being told that if they possess a husband inclined to frivolity, the surest way to effect a permanent cure is to get up a safe and sure flirtation.

On the screen, in the short story, in the novels, this method of charming man is to be picked up at moment's notice. He is either a dependent lover whom you have refused, or a chum of your husband's who will do anything to save him, or a disillusioned married man whose wife does not understand him.

But if you happen to be just an everyday wife who has lived a settled existence and borne a child or two, what chance do you suppose you would have in getting hold of such a masculine prodigy?

The housewife will often go for days without seeing an extra male person except the grocery boy or the ice man, and the array of bachelors who are blasé and rich and handsome and ready to fall in love at a moment's notice are mighty few.

The average American wife would be regarded as a bit off in the upper story if she suddenly started out to work up a flirtation as insurance against matrimonial unhappiness.

She doesn't have any left-over

lovers who are still faithful; her husband has no trusted friends who will leave the bridge game to make eyes at her behind the kitchen door; practically all the nice men she knows are happily married and have left to death talking about their babies or their golf score.

The defunct, poetic and soulful males abound in fiction and haunt the movie studios, but don't expect to many any on Main Street.

American and British geologists who have been prospecting for petroleum in Spain have found indications in the vicinity of Bilbao that there warranted the boring of test wells.

Today's Five Best Radio Features

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## MISS ALIAS

BY DOUGLAS GRANT

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## Gap Year Dance Given by Lady Slipper Club Proves Big Success

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Co. will supply you, and use as directed. It is a very concentrated preparation and a small quantity lasts a long time. It is also used to reduce swollen veins and discharges gaitre. Mail orders accepted.—Adv.


If you are suffering from nervous troubles, irritability, or if other annoying symptoms appear and you are at times, you should give the Forgetable Compound a fair trial. For sale by druggists everywhere.

**LAUNDRY**  
**Phones 118 and 119**


Se	49c	Cretonne,	30-inch,	yd	20c
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ny	50c	Cretonne,	30-inch,	yd	40c
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**LAUNDRY**

fancy designs, 36-inch ..... 75c	33c	reynolds, 36-inch, yd 20c
\$1.39 Terry Cloth in many	40c	Cretonne, 35-inch, yd 30c
pleasing designs, 36-inch, yd 88c	59c	Cretonne, 36-inch, yd 40c
	60c	Cretonne, 36-inch, yd 40c

**Phones 118 and 119**

NEWSPAPER AR



## BANDITS TAKE \$300 AND WATCH

### Port Arthur Experiences A Hold-Up Epidemic

Hijackers over the week-end secured some \$300 and a gold watch, it was shown today by police reports on the four robberies. Descriptions were furnished police in two of the cases, but they were so meagre it may be impossible to identify the robbers.

—Jim Crabb reported to police two men, believed to have been whites, with the faces masked in bandierchiefs held him up near the 1190 block West Sixteenth street and relieved him of \$50.

L. M. Jones, 2310 Thirteenth street reported two negroes held him up in front of St. Mary's church early Sunday morning and took \$97 from him.

The third robbery reported was that of G. L. McMillan, 1837 Sixth street, who was robbed of \$37 and his watch at a dance Friday night.

The fourth robbery reported was that of a negro who lost \$35 in cash to a sneak thief who entered his house sometime during Sunday night.

Detectives have been assigned to the cases but report the absence of descriptions to be handicapping their work.

## Amusements

### TUESDAY

Peoples: "No More Women."  
Strand: "The Gold Diggers."  
Pearce: Musical bill, "Pardon Me," picture, "The Ladder Jinx."  
Elks: McAlberty, the miracle man, who answers all questions.  
Liberty: "A Son of the Desert" with all star cast.  
Green Tree: "Love Letters."

### WEDNESDAY

Peoples: "The Palace of the King."  
Strand: "The Gold Diggers."  
Pearce: Musical bill, "Pardon Me," picture, "The Ladder Jinx."  
Elks: McAlberty, the miracle man, who answers all questions.  
Liberty: "A Son of the Desert" with all star cast.  
Green Tree: "The Gold Diggers," and op. 12 of "Ghost City."

### HOPE HAMPTON STARS IN "GOLD DIGGERS"

The stage and its chorus girls, fluff dresses and costumes, vivid make-up, bustle and bustle of dressing rooms, and the gay night life of the gorgeously gowned players are picturesquely portrayed in "The Gold Diggers," which opened Saturday at the Strand theater for a four days run.

Throughout the entire picture, the eye is constantly delighted by the stupendous sets—big stage scenes, large beautifully furnished apartments, "aid" parties with all their splendor, and the beautiful, soft atmosphere of Spanish dances.

The picture closely follows the Balcony stage play of the same name from which it was adapted, and the plot of the "gold diggers" are set forth in their most amusing, humorous aspects.

Hope Hampton, who plays the part of Jerry Lumar, the leader of a group of chorus girls, and Windham Standing as Stephen Lee, a rich business man who seeks diversion from his daily routine, are wonderfully fitted for their parts.

The story tells how the group of chorus girls, clubbing in an apartment, proceed to extort as much money, and other valuables, as they can from the men of their acquaintance. They go to parties, smoke, dance, and enjoy life.

Thus things go along until one of the young men falls in love with Violet Dane. This alone would have been enough to upset the "immunity" of things, but to add to the complication, the youth faces disinheritance by his uncle, who detects show girls.

The balance of the photoplay shows how Jerry Lumar sets the trap for the rich uncle, Stephen Lee, how she inveigles him into visiting her apartment, and how he subsequently falls in love with a chorus girl.

## LIBERTY Theatre

Open 10 a. m. to 11 p. m.

TODAY—TOMORROW

### "A SON OF THE DESERT"

A romance of Arabia played by Maria S. C. Wm. Merrill McCorrick and Robert Dunn, aritten and directed by Wm. Merrill McCorrick.

THURSDAY—FRIDAY

### "THE STREETS OF NEW YORK"

Assisted by Manuel Berenguer, flutist; Homer Samuel, pianist.

### CONCERT

Beaumont Floral Shop

Prices: \$3.30, \$2.75, \$2.20, \$1.65 \$1.10

Direction Edna W. Saunders

## BEAUMONT Auditorium

Monday Evening

March 31

AMELITA GALLI-CURCI

Assisted by Manuel Berenguer, flutist; Homer Samuel, pianist.

—In—

CONCERT

Beaumont Floral Shop

## Gave Sensational Testimony



Before the Senate committee investigating the Department of Justice, the man in the photograph gave sensational testimony.

## COLLEGE OPENS SALES COURSE

### Night School to Teach Retail Selling

Port Arthur College this week announced the opening of their salesmanship course in the night school of the college for students wishing to specialize in retail selling.

President Leonard Power of the school yesterday announced the classes had room for a few more persons desirous of availing themselves of the opportunity to study the sales business.

### Recognized Course

The course being taught at the college is one of the recognized and standard courses on the subject and is known as the Knox course in Salesmanship. In connection with this course, the college officials will offer a scholarship in this work as a part of merit to one of the highest standing students in the class.

According to plans fostered at the local school the course will run over four months, three nights each week. Each night 40 minutes is to be devoted to the subject in the classrooms of the school.

Instructor Secured  
For the instructor in this course the college offers Prof. Howard A. Brooks of Kansas Wesleyan University.

"We are prepared to handle a good sized class in this course," Leonard Power, president of the college stated last night. "We believe that in offering this course we have struck a chord which will find much response throughout the ranks of salespeople in Port Arthur."

### ANDY MEADOR JURY COMPLETION DUE TODAY

SWIFTWATER, Texas, March 25.—Examination of witnesses in the trial of Andy Meador, accused of killing Asa Hawks was resumed in district court here today. The jury was expected would be completed during the day.

### E. T. E. CO. JOINS IN CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN

In line with the spring clean-up drive to be conducted by the city of Port Arthur, the office of the Eastern Texas Electric company are getting a new coat of paint. The work will be completed sometime tomorrow. S. D. McAdams, superintendent, stated today.

### Excuses on Feet

One man who had it over twenty years and that one bottle Imperial Eucalypti Remedy cured him. All drug stores are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

## PEOPLES Theatre

4 Days Starting Tomorrow

### POLA NEGRI

—In—

### "THE CHEAT"

Today—Last De,

### NO MORE WOMEN

## Strand Theatre

Starting Tomorrow

### "IN THE PALACE OF THE KING"

Last Day—Today

### "GOLD DIGGERS"

Today Thru Friday

### "PARDON ME"

Picture

### "LADDER JINX"

COMING

SCHARAMOUCHE

## SALES EXPERT GIVES ADVICE

### Don't Be Too Gushy, But Courteous, Says

—Before a large audience in the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping rooms last night, Leon M. Bates, salesman for the LaSalle Extension university outlined the course his school offers to salespeople and the public in general interested in the selling game.

In a short preliminary talk he outlined the benefits of the plan which he was presenting and went into the salesmanship end of modern business.

Make Three Impressions  
Three impressions were created by the salesperson upon the prospective customer, Bates told his audience.

"In your dealings with prospective customers," said Bates, "one thing must be borne in mind. Salesmanship is based on three fundamentals.

"First is the 'first impression' you make. This will be affected by your physical appearance. This may be controlled entirely by yourself.

"Second is the mental impression you create on the customer.

"Third is the confidence impression you make. By this is meant the power we have within us to influence others favorably."

Don't Be Too Gushy  
"This power may be under or over developed and either is many times fatal to the sale. You should be governed in this by being able to use just the necessary amount of friendliness in dealing with a customer, for too much spoils the customer's impressions of you. That is to say you 'don't need to be too gushy.'"

The intricacies of the selling game were dwelt upon by the speaker who classified the various customers who come to the counters in any of the stores of the world.

"I've a window shopper" was cited as the latest prospect to enter any man's store.

"In the window shopper," said Bates, "you have a customer who wants to buy something, but hasn't decided. This is where your salesmanship comes in."

Courtesy Pays  
J. R. Denney gave a short talk to those present pointing out that as a matter of business in every instance courtesy pays.

"One discourteous clerk," Denney said, "can undo the work of several courteous ones. If one salesperson or salesman falls short of this courtesy it hurts every salesperson in town."

"If the idea of courtesy would become universal in Port Arthur this town would soon be known as the most courteous shopping town in the Southwest. News of the courtesy of the various clerks travels fast over bridge tables, casual meetings and the like, and it is a great asset."

K. M. PERKINS ILL  
AT NEW ORLEANS  
Word has been received by friends in the city of the serious illness of K. M. Perkins in New Orleans, Mr. Perkins having undergone an operation recently at a New Orleans sanitarium. Mr. Perkins' home is in Houston, but he is well known in Port Arthur. His wife was formerly Miss Mrs. Mosher of this city.

STEAMER PRES. MONROE TO BE FLOATED TODAY  
NEW YORK, March 25.—Officials of the Dollar Line, whose steamship, the President Monroe grounded on a reef 32 miles from Miami, Fla., reported receipt of a radiogram during the night saying that Captain Dowling, the vessel's commander, hoped to float her sometime today.

PERSHING COMES HOME  
PARIS, March 25.—General Pershing started back for the United States today having completed a collection of material for his coming book on the war.

BANDIT SLAYER FREED  
HOUSTON, March 25.—Twenty minutes after he went on trial on charges of killing Ed Williams, negro, to save the life of J. N. Davis, street car motorman, William Brooks, negro brakeman, was acquitted in district court here.

GREEKS PROCLAIM REPUBLICAN REGIME  
ATHENS, March 25.—The National Assembly today voted to dethrone the dynasty and proclaim a republic. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote and is effective at once.

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# Outfield Trio Best in League

By NEA Service.  
SARASOTA, Fla., March 25.—The Giants' outfield this season will be comprised of Emil Meusel in left, Billy Southworth in center and Pop Young in right. Southworth, a veteran in the National League, is a new-comer in the ranks of the champions. He takes over regularly a position that was held down at intervals last year by Stengel, Cunningham and O'Connell, the \$75,000 quince.



TOP TO BOTTOM: SOUTH-WORTH, MEUSEL, YOUNG.

"If Southworth plays the kind of ball I think he can play I will have the best outfield in the league," McGraw tells you.

This is rugged language. The Pirates boast a formidable outfield in Carey, Bligee and Barnhardt. Nor is there anything ordinary about the Cincinnati outfield, embracing Roush, Duncan and Burns.

Nevertheless, McGraw thinks that in Meusel, with his timely hitting; Southworth with his great speed and Young with his all-round skill the Giants will have the blue ribbon outfield combination of the old league.

Southworth came to McGraw from the Braves. Previously he had played with the Pirates. Last year his legs bothered him and his playing suffered. This spring he appears to be all right again.

Of all the Giants in training Southworth strikes you as being the most agile, and one of the swiftest. He struts around the base lines and the dust eddies and twirls up from his tracks.

Playing permanently in center field, Southworth will add a note of steadiness to the Giants' outfield which has been missing in recent years owing to the many changes in the mid-season.

Young and Meusel have had to quit their speed to this man and as a result the work of the trio as a unit lacked consistency. It may be different with Southworth in there every day.

# Ruby Youngest Major Sport Coach in Big 10

URBANA, Ill., March 25.—Craig Ruby, coach of the Illinois basketball team, which has just tied with Chicago and Wisconsin for the championship, is the youngest coach of a major sport in the Big Ten. In his second year at Illinois, his team figures in a championship for the first time since 1917. Ever since the Illinois have been finishing in the first division but they never could quite reach the top.

Illinois men who have followed Ruby closely are elated over his success. He is a hard worker, courageous, persistent, and justifies in his team these same qualities. Ruby teaches a bewildering-short pass game that has a few of the Meusel gam-marks but is mainly original. Toward the end of the season when injured players had recovered and the team was at the top of its stride the highly organized attack and tight defense were among the best ever seen on the Illinois court.

**Favorite With Players.**  
The coach is a great favorite with his players, who know him only as "Craig." He has the knack of controlling with engaging and tough a comradeship exists, there is no slacker.

Ruby also teaches basketball class in the four-year coaching course and the summer course for coaches, where his lectures are popular and his classes crowded.

Craig Ruby played at Westport high school of Kansas City. He then entered the University of Missouri where he made a basketball history during the next five years—three seasons as player and two as coach.

**Prized by Meusel.**  
"Ruby is the greatest player I have ever coached," said Meusel, while directing the Tigers. Ruby helped Meusel win four games victories out of 27 starts. He twice was captain and three an all-star honor selection.

When Meusel left, Ruby was elected coach by popular vote of his former teammates and the student body. Under his guidance the Tigers continued their winning ways, turned in 33 wins, lost but two, annexed one title and tied for another.

7 Wins in 1923  
The Illinois position was profiled and Ruby accepted. With no outstanding material and a team expected to install he coached his 1923 team to seven wins, five losses and fourth place position—a creditable record.

The 1924 team is a credit to Ruby and to his team. Injuries, sickness and ineptitude seemed to follow. When the schedule was almost half completed Illinois was in seventh place then won six consecutive games and tied for the championship.

## NEW ORLEANS DERBY HAS ADDED MONEY

NEW ORLEANS, March 25.—Before the gallant little Black Toucan, the colt Black Gold, owned by Mrs. R. M. Hunt of Tulsa, Okla., finally had cooled out after winning the \$15,000 derby at a mile and an eighth, the feature of the closing day of the New Orleans racing season, the Jefferson park management announced that the 1925 derby would carry \$17,500 in added money.

## HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH DIES FROM GRID HURT

CAMBRIDGE, Ohio, March 25.—William Pagan, 17 years old, high school senior whose legs were amputated as the result of injuries received in a football game, died last night. A number of blood transfusions failed to save his life.

# Gates Flying Circus Coming Here In Exhibition

## MORE INTENSIVE TRAINING DAYS START AT BALL PARK

## Daredevils of the Air Give Novel Entertainments in Death-Defying Stunts Soaring Miles Above Land

BY BILL ARCHER.  
THE Gates Flying Circus, bringing to town five daring demons of the air, will divide the still atmosphere of the El Vista road here Sunday afternoon with the familiar "spit-and-sput" of airplane in one of the most attractive stunt-flying exhibitions staged in this section. The circus is being brought to town under the auspices of the Port Arthur Elks club, funds derived from the performance to go toward the Elk Charity Fund.

Headed by their manager, Ivan Gates, the five dare-devils of the air, recognized as the most daring flyers in America, will open up their performance along the El Vista road, three miles from town, Sunday afternoon. With fair weather prevailing, local sports followers who haven't had a "thrill" in weeks will get that opportunity when Manager Gates turns his boys loose.

The crew of aviators coming to Port Arthur have put on every big stunt flying circus for the past three or four years. Included in their list are such men as "Daredevil," otherwise known as Milton Girtan, who knows no fear in a plane, riding the wings in loop-the-loops, upside down, or changing from one plane to another. Clyde L. Langburn, recognized as the foremost flyer in America in handling a plane upside down; Tommie Thompson, Billy Brooks and Phil Lemmer, all of whom will exhibit their most stunts in the Port Arthur exhibition.

Plus Many Stunts  
Wing walking, acrobatic stunts, stunt-flying, changing from one plane to another through use of the rope ladder, exhibition dives and stunts with feature Sunday afternoon's program. Manager Gates said today promising that "the same performance we gave in Beaumont last Sunday will be given here."

Among the flyers coming to participate in the stunt flying will be the same aviators who several Sundays ago executed a daredevil rescue of a Houston girl as she hung suspended by a small rope from beneath a flying plane, dangling in the tangles of a parachute. The girl, member of a show troupe playing in the city of Houston when the flyers went there for their exhibition, attempted to plunge to earth from a plane a mile from land. As she plunged from the plane, the parachute failed to open, and she hung in mid-air, suspended by a small rope. Had she been heavier in body, the man would have been plunged to instant death.

**Rivals Movie Thrills**  
As the plane side rode beneath a crowd overhead, another party took off, and soon was circling the spot where the girl faced a grave death. Changing from the wings of his own plane to those of the other, Freddie Lund landed cautiously, but until he could grasp the small rope, then he hauled the maid aboard ship.

The rescue, according to press narratives carried on it, necessitated 35 minutes, and was one of the most daring feats of nerve and skillful flying that has been exhibited in this country.

The same men who participated in that "better-than-the-movies" thriller or in Houston are going to exhibit, plan to make the Port Arthur Air Show a big success. They are bringing along a bag of snappy tricks to spring on the fans who turn out to watch their skill.

**COUGHLIN'S** idea to entertain the club members will probably take well with the membership, too, and with all the members co-operating to make the venture, good for Port Arthur Athletic Club stands an excellent chance to be more successful.

With the advent of the summer months and balmy days, Coughlin, who is a great advocate of outdoor sports, will probably lead the Port Arthur Athletic Club outdoors, to the water, to the track and to the ball diamond. It could be done, and who should it?

**IN** Kansas City, the athletic club is one of the largest ventures in the community, and one of the most successful. Why not in Port Arthur?

If co-operation on the part of all the members can be obtained, there is no reason why the management of the Port Arthur Athletic club cannot make the name of that organization as well-known as that of the Kansas City A. C., or the New York A. C.

**JACK** Neely, formerly associated with the Port Arthur Country Club, is now located at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., directing the sailing of golf sticks. "Quite successfully," word brought back here today announces.

Neely was the incentive that developed considerable interest in golf in Port Arthur, during his stay here; he will develop a similar interest wherever he goes.

**1 CHANGE MADE IN ABC LEADS**  
Iowa Man Tops List With 674 Pins

CHICAGO, March 25.—Only one change was made in the standing of the leaders in the American Bowling Congress tourney as a result of last night's pin smashing. Russen and Howler of Indianapolis picked 1226 pins and took seventh place in the double.

Joe Loren, Dubuque, Iowa, with a mark of 674 topped the single shoot-ers. W. Wheeler, Indianapolis, was second with 672 wooden pins.

Regular events of the tournament will be finished on Thursday evening. The spectators will be held on Friday and Saturday.

**KNOCKS OUT DOWNEY**  
DAYTON, Ohio, March 25.—Tommy Gibbons knocked out Joe Downey in the first round of a scheduled 12-round bout.

**CRUIQU COMING BACK?**  
NEW YORK, March 25.—Eugene Crigau, gallant featherweight who ranked his world title in the ring with Johnny Dundee six months after he won it and was badly whipped by the Scotch-Wop, is coming to America this summer for another shot at the crown. Gene is training in Africa.

**MY OWN FAVORITE**  
BALTIMORE, Md., March 25.—My Own, Admiral Cary T. Grayson's big colt, disappointment of the 1923 racing season is being pointed for the \$25,000 Preakness handicap at Pimlico. The colt will hit next race at Bowie. My Own is said to have wintered well and to be training soundly.

**Smallest Pitcher Is Trying Out Again With Gotham Giants**  
SARASOTA, Fla., March 25.—In Danny Geary the New York Giants boast the smallest pitcher in the major leagues. Geary's ability, however, is not measured by his size. Bought from Milwaukee late last season Geary managed to break into a few games as a Giant. He worked 24 innings and was credited with one victory and a defeat. Geary is a southpaw. McGraw is hoping he will make the grade.

## Daredevil of Air Who Appears in Meet Here



"Diavolo," or Milton Girtan, as he is otherwise known, who is the greatest daredevil and stunt flier living, and who appears Sunday in Port Arthur in the Elk Charity Fund air circus.



**Ranks With Best**  
Although only 15 years old, Aeneas Girtan of New York ranks with the greatest famous swimmers in the world. Recently he broke the world's best stroke record at 100 yards, clocking off the distance in 4 minutes 8.15 seconds. He also holds American records for the 200 and 250 yard swim and for the 100 and 200 yard breast stroke.

**FRED BRAINERD WILL PILOT NEWARK TEAM**  
NEW YORK, March 25.—Fred Brainerd, second baseman, has been appointed manager of the Newark Inter-territory league ball club, it was announced today.

Brainerd handled the team for a true first season after Mickey Doyle had been relieved.

**CHET THOMAS GETS PLACE AT ST. LOUIS**  
ST. LOUIS, March 25.—Chet Thomas, former Cleveland catcher, will join the St. Louis Americans as coach for the young pitchers. Business Manager Bill Friel announces Thomas will report early next week from Los Angeles.

**HIS OFFER REJECTED**  
NEWARK, N. J., March 25.—Mickey Walker, world-welterweight champion, cancelled a bout in Philadelphia with Johnny Gull last night and headed to a hospital here to be for his blood for a trichinosis to save the life of his manager, Jack Bulger. The offer was not accepted.

**Gibson Still Stars**  
For two years George Gibson has played center on the Wisconsin basketball team, and played it so well as to discontinue all opposition right from the start. Gibson is rated as one of the best jump men in the Western Conference.

**Important to All Women Readers of this Paper**  
Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. You may suffer from in the back, headache and loss of ambition. Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be dependent; it makes you old.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase a full and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Adv.

**WALL PAPER PAINTS GLASS**  
Picture Framing  
Alfred Spence Co.  
428 Ft. Worth Phone 53

## AVERS MENTORS PULLING 'BONE'

**Wrong Sprint Method Used In Ball Games**  
The baseball managers and players overlooking a strategic play of vital importance?

A famous track coach of one of the leading universities in the east is positive that baseball is pulling a bone.

The play in dispute relates to the scoring of a runner from third on a fly ball that is caught. The decision at the plate on such a play often is a matter of mere inches.

On this particular play, the runner is compelled by the rules to hold his base until the ball is caught, thereby acquiring the legal right to try to score by beating the throw to the plate.

If the runner on third leaves prior to the catch he makes himself liable to be put out. This is done by throwing the ball to the fielder at the base vacated too soon, who touches the base with the ball in his possession and appeals to the umpire for a decision.

**Matter of Judgment**  
The play resolves itself merely into a matter of judgment. It is up to the runner on third to watch the flight of the batted ball, so as to reach a decision as to when it touches the hands of the fielder.

The theory of the college track coach is simple, yet decided by logical. Inject into baseball the fundamentals of the spring race. Instead of having the runner start from a distorted position by being compelled to follow the flight of the ball, let him make his start from the crouch position of a sprinter, paying no attention to the flight of the ball.

**Start From Crouch**  
The thought of the track coach is to put the runner on third to start, not to the croucher at third base. His about to go, acting as does the crack of the pistol in a 100-yard dash.

The moment the ball starts on its way to the outfield it becomes the duty of the runner on third to return to that bag and assume the crouch position of a sprinter awaiting the crack of the pistol. The runner pays absolutely no attention to the ball. He simply waits for the word to go from the catcher and then he is off.

The track coach claims that a start from a crouch position, with the leg to close away from, would mean an advantage of at least a yard, perhaps two, over the present system of scoring from third.

The coach further adds the suggestion that the runner should start from the world's greatest sprinters. There is no question as to the correctness of his theory. It certainly would be interesting to see some modern manager try it out.

The coach says it would take him only a few days to familiarize every member of a baseball squad with the crouching start used by sprinters.

**ROOKIES GET ORDERS**  
NEW ORLEANS, March 25.—Rookie pitchers were given detailed instructions at the New York Yankees' headquarters yesterday.

**REDS IN MIAMI**  
MIAMI, Fla., March 25.—The Reds arrived here today to stage the Vee-Cut game at the Polo Grounds.

**CUBS WORK TODAY**  
OAKLAND, Cal., March 25.—The Chicago Cubs are scheduled to perform here today. Yesterday rain at Stockton prevented their playing a scheduled game with Portland.

**CHI ENTERS MEET**  
CHICAGO, March 25.—The Chicago Yacht Club, for the first time in 14 years will have an entry in the New York to Bermuda yacht race. The boat, the property of Paul C. Warren, is now under construction.

**MAY SIGN TODAY**  
CHICAGO, March 25.—Agreements for a Gibson-Carpenter fight in Michigan City, Indiana, on July 4, are expected to be signed here today.

**SISLER DRILLS HARD**  
MOBILE, Ala., March 25.—George Sisler is digging deep into baseball strategy in his drills with the Browns.

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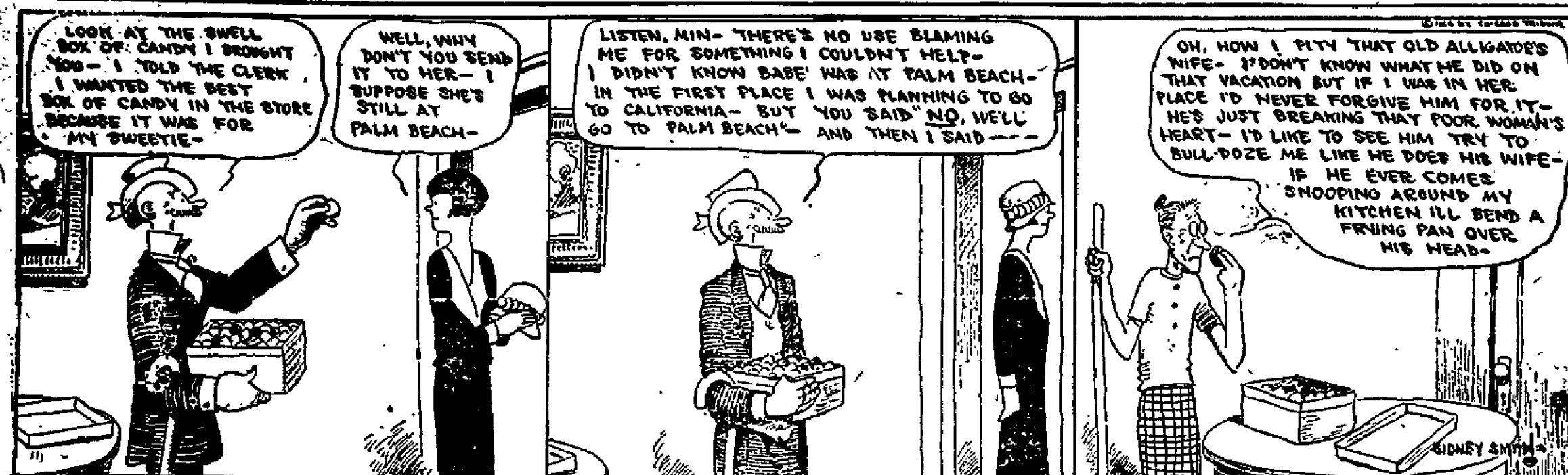
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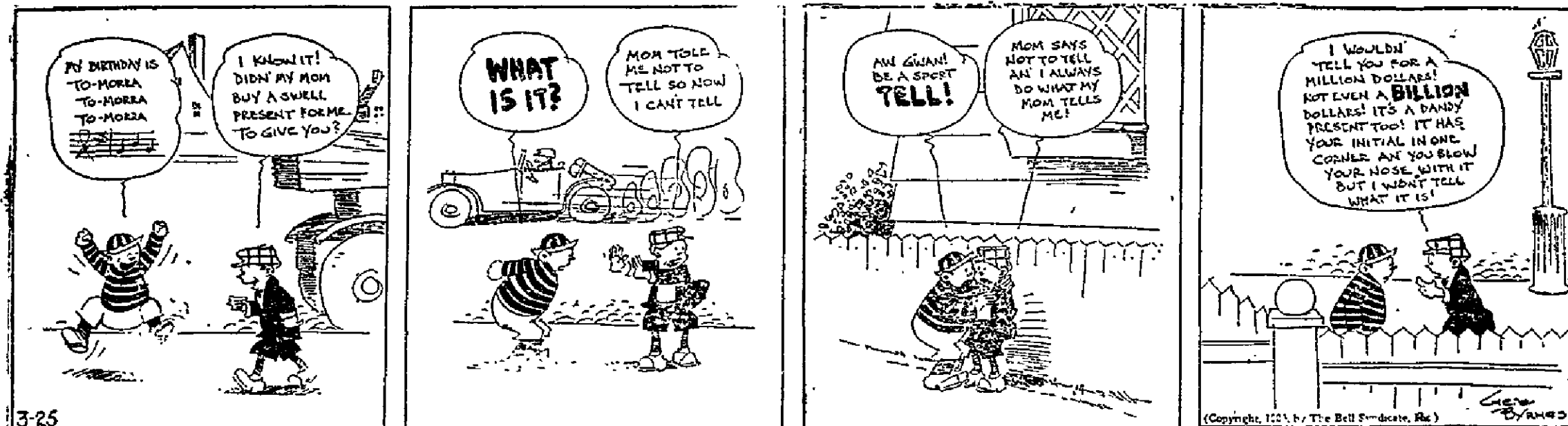
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Jimmy Is So Vague

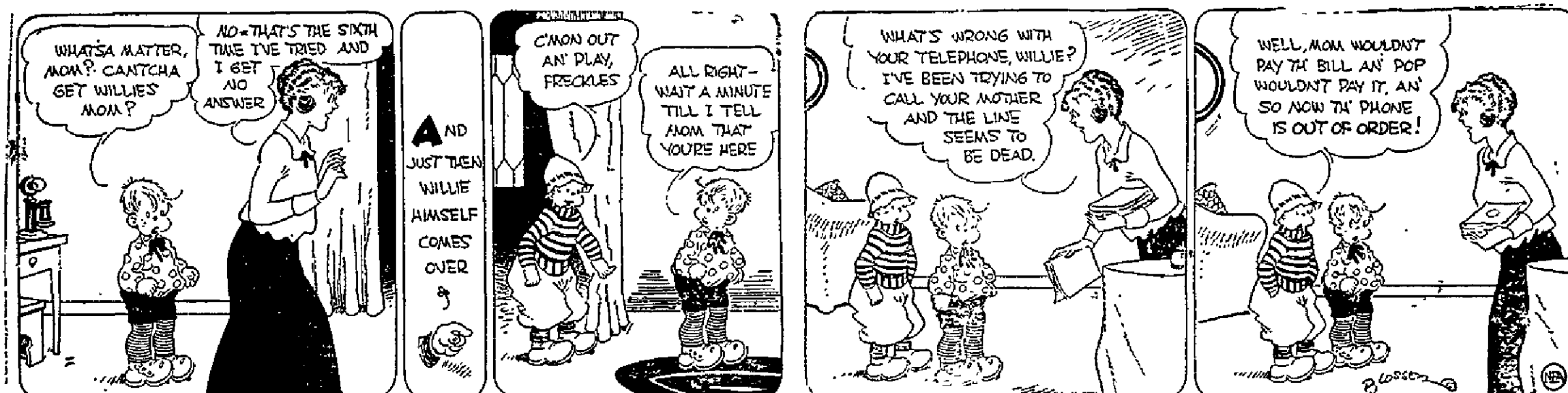
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

A Delicate Instrument

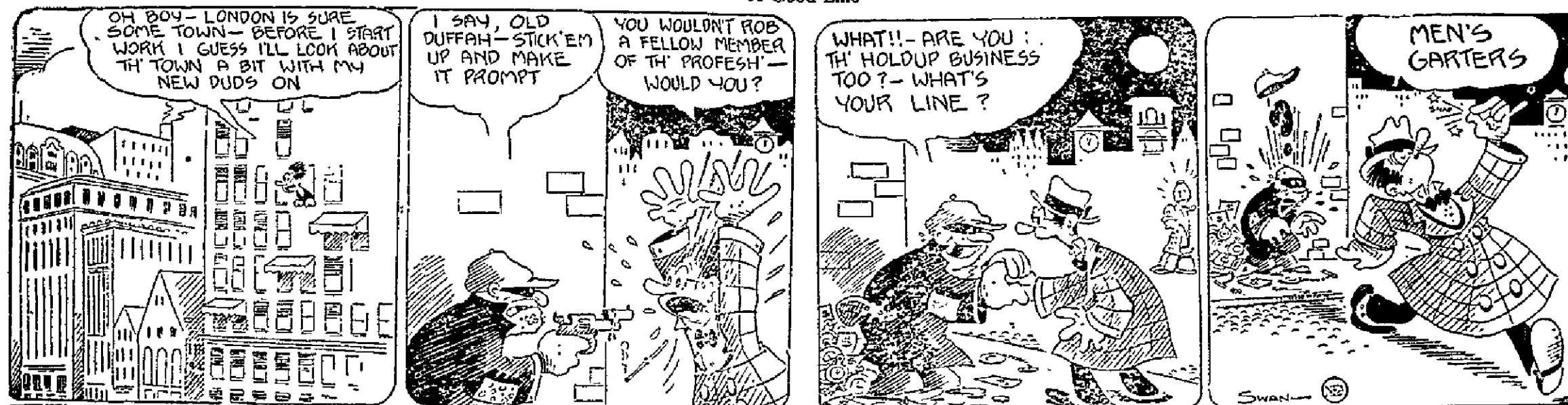
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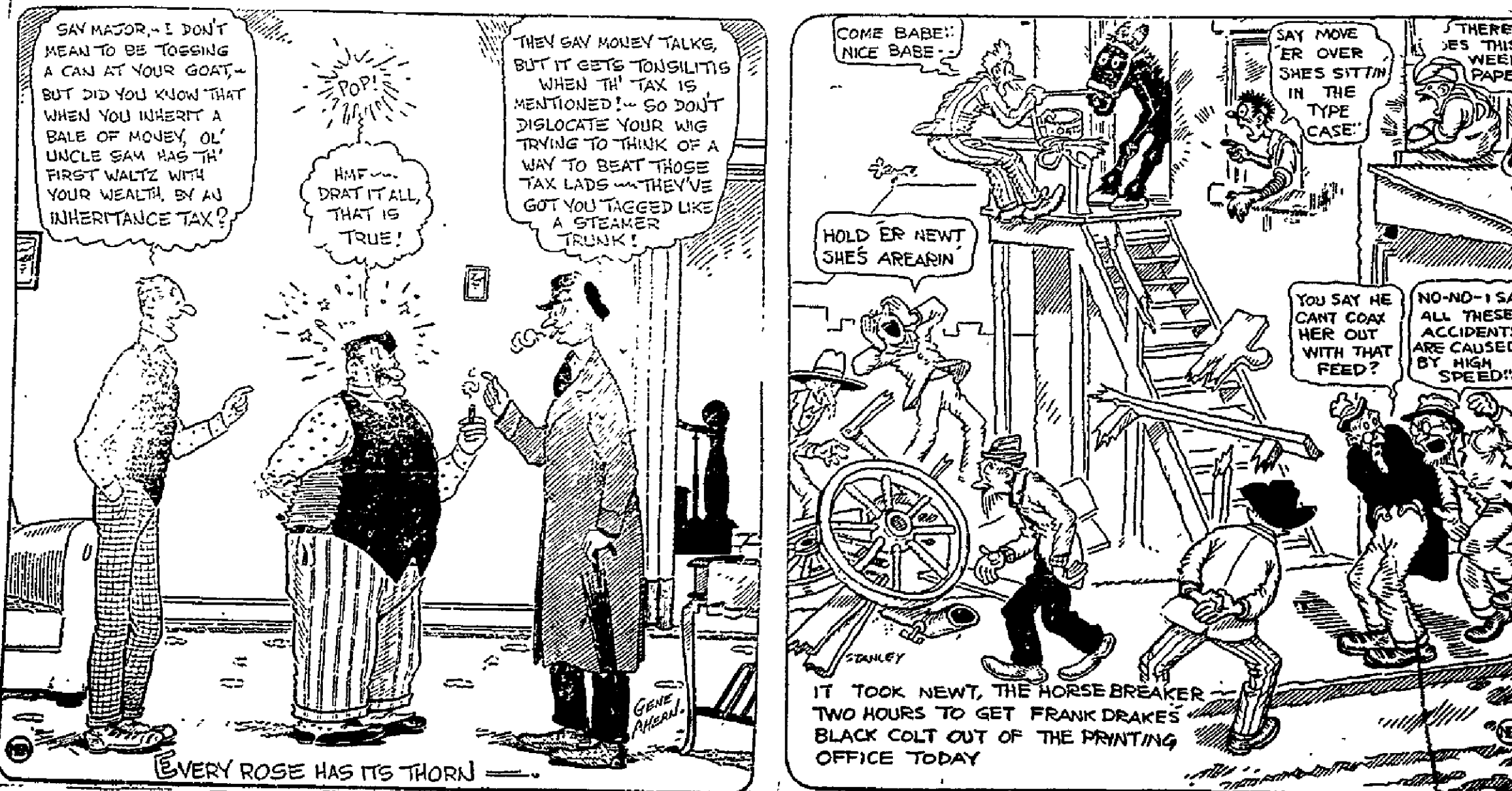


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THE OLD HOME TOWN

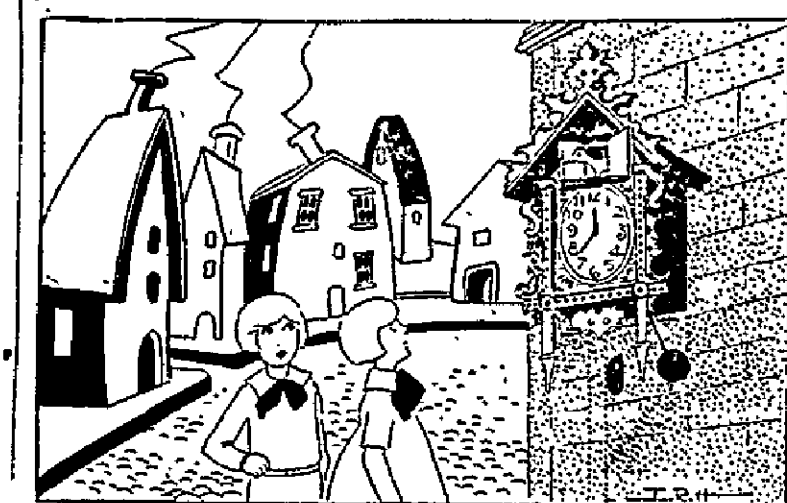
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EVERY ROSE HAS ITS THORN

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



Just as the Twins were passing the clock.

The rest of the Doofunny people all stayed behind, while Nancy and Nick went off to find the tin mouse. The tin mouse had hidden somewhere, because he knew he was guilty.

This was what he had done. He had jumped out and frightened the pin-cushion lady, and the pin-cushion lady had fallen on the wooden waddle duck, and the wooden waddle duck had such a start that he skidded twenty inches and frightened the tin soldier's horse, and the horse had shied and stepped on the peanut boy breaking his nose.

There! I'm all out of breath. But you see how very guilty the mouse was. No wonder he did.

Doofunny Land was almost empty, for all the people were waiting at the court house, except those who had duties at home that they just couldn't get away from.

The cuckoo was one.

Just as the Twins were passing the clock where he lived, he popped out. "Cuckoo! Cuckoo! Cuckoo!" he went three times.

"Hello!" cried Nick.

"Hello!" said the cuckoo. "What are you doing in Doofunny Land?"

"Hunting the tin mouse. Did you see him?"

"No—not for a day or two. He always comes to see me regularly, runs up one of my strings and pays me quite a visit. But he hasn't been here lately and I was wondering what was wrong."

"He's wanted at the court house for breaking the peanut boy's nose."

"Why the idea?" exclaimed the cuckoo. "He's as gentle as a lamb. I don't see how he could."

"Next they want a man in rabbit just sitting there on his hind legs."

"Why aren't you at the court house?" asked Nancy. "You haven't any clock to mind like the cuckoo."

"I know," answered the rabbit. "But I'll tell you a secret. I'm very loose. If I move I'll come all untiel. And feel dreadful about it. It isn't often we have a trial in Doofunny Land and here I am not able to stir a foot."

"But tell me the news, do!"

"The tin mouse," he exclaimed when he heard the story. "Why, he's under that board. I saw him go under a minute ago."

"For goodness sake!" cried the Twins. "And here we have been hunting and hunting for him everywhere. Come on out, Mister Mouse. You're wanted at the court house."

"I'm not here at all!" squeaked a tiny voice.

"Well, if you're not here, who is?" laughed Nick.

"Nobody."

"Oh, ho! Nobody! Well, I'll tell Mister Fuzz Wuzz that Mister Nobody is under a board and won't come out."

"I don't care who you tell," squeaked the voice. "Just so you don't tell the cat!"

Back skipped the Twins to the court house, where Mister Fuzz Wuzz was waiting. "Just so you don't tell the cat!"

(To Be Continued)

## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By UNCLE RAY

Chapter 145  
THE DEFEAT OF THE GAULS

To the north of Greece was a country called Macedonia. Its most famous ruler was named Alexander. He became ruler of part of Greece. Then he led an army into Asia Minor. There he beat the Persians. Egypt and part of far-away India fell before his sword.

This man is known in history as "Alexander the Great". After his death, his generals quarreled about the way his empire should be divided. It was finally split into three parts—Macedonia, Persia and Egypt.

The man who got Macedonia was killed before he could take charge of the country. His grandson filled his place, but had a very hard time. At that time tribes of fierce people from western Europe were sweeping eastward, burning and killing.

These tribes were called "Gauls". They overran Macedonia, and a part of northern Greece. People everywhere feared them. In time, they forced their way into Asia Minor, spreading terror there.

It happened that there was a city in Asia Minor whose people were mostly Greeks. This city was called Perga. Its soldiers fought the Gauls and drove them back.

After the defeat of the fierce invaders, several splendid statues were made by the sculptors of Perga. One of these statues was a Gaul, child killing his wife and himself to prevent their capture. Another shows a Gaulie trampier falling dead as the result of a wound.

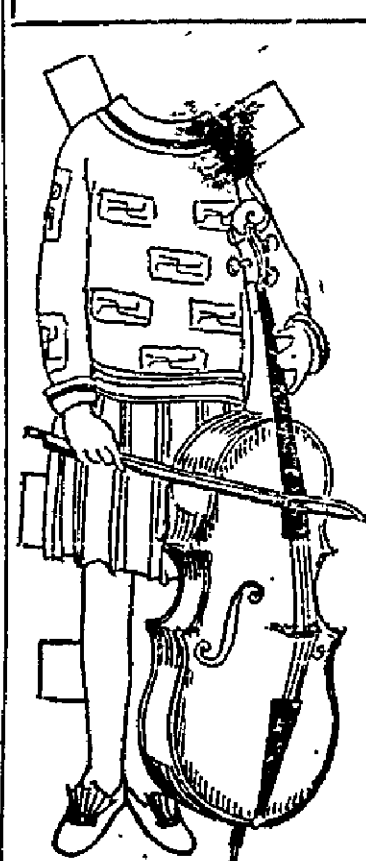
NEXT: The Great City of Alerandria.



Here we see a photograph of the statue of a dying Gaulie trampier.

## Color Cut-Outs

Getting Up A School Orchestra



have girls in on this."

"But without a cello you won't be able to give a recital," argued the leader.

"And if you knew how fine she plays, you'd be glad to get her," supplied Betty Cut-out, who was listening.

Ellis finally sent word for Mary to bring her cello to school. When he discovered that she could read music so well that she played the pieces right off with the boys, and it sounded much better to have a cello, he invited her to join them. "Let's ask some other girls and make it an orchestra," said Mary, thinking him.

Mary wears a tan sweater with brown squares, brown skirt, shoes and hose to match her brown cello.

## \$700 Diamond Ring Stolen Here

Special to The News.

BLACKMONT, Texas, March 21.—D. M. Anderson, 1640 Cedar street here, reported theft of a diamond ring, the property of his wife, here Saturday. He stated his wife was visiting in Port Arthur and the ring, valued at \$700 was removed from her hand while she was sleeping and that she did not know of the loss until the next morning. A reward of \$100 has been offered for its return.

"What this string quartet needs," said Mr. Tucker, the leader, "is a cello. The only person I know who plays one is a girl."

"If you mean Ralph's sister Mary," said Ellis, who got up the quartet in the first place, "we don't want her. It's against all rules to

A ton of fibre to the here has been obtained from a New Zealand fly from which it is believed a flax substitute can be derived in several countries in addition to its native



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